

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: LAB  
SUBJECT: IMF INTEREST IN TRIAL OF THAI WORKERS

1. HERMAN REBHAN, GENERAL SECRETARY, INTERNATIONAL METAL-WORKERS FEDERATION(IMF), HAS ASKED US TO INQUIRE ABOUT "US EMBASSY OBSERVERS" AT MILITARY TRIAL OF "OCTOBER 6 CASE". SOME OF ACCUSED ARE MEMBERS OF IMF AFFILIATES IN THAILAND. ACCORDING TO REBHAN, BANGKOK POST SEPT 6 REPORTED US EMBASSY REPRESENTED BY HANK HENDRICKSON AND JUSMAG BY CAPTAIN MARK RAMSEY. REBHAN WOULD LIKE TO KNOW PURPOSE OF USG OBSERVERS AT TRIAL.

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF TRIAL AND GUIDANCE ON RESPONSE TO REBHAN.SORENSEN

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